

**Table 15.23-- LARGEST PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COMPANIES: 1999**

[Data may include sales and employment on the Mainland or abroad]

Rank in sales	Company	Year founded 1/	Sales (million dollars)	Employees
1	Hawaiian Electric Industries Inc.	1891/1983	1,523.3	3,262
2	BancWest Corp.	1858/1974	1,333.3	4,946
3	Pacific Century Financial Corp.	1897	1,292.1	4,700
4	Hawaii Medical Service Assn. (HMSA)	1938	1,058.4	1,514
5	Alexander & Baldwin Inc.	1870/1900	959.3	2,050
6	Tesoro Hawaii Corp.	1904	868.0	740
7	Kamehameha Schools	1884	839.0	1,250
8	GTE Hawaiian Tel	1883	679.1	2,589
9	Kyo-ya Co. Ltd.	1961	544.8	4,060
10	Schuler Homes Inc.	1988	506.8	451

1/ If two years or more are given, the first is the founding date of the original company, the second is when it became a holding company, was sold, or legally changed its name.

Source: "The Hawaii Business Top 250," *Hawaii Business*, August 2000, p. 68.